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agreement between employee representatives and one or more employers.

(c) Even if (1) the finding in the example in the preceding paragraph (b) is made by the Secretary of Labor, (2) the union has been recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(5), and (3) the percentage condition in section 7701(a)(46) is satisfied, the Internal Revenue Service has the authority, pursuant to section 7701(a)(46), to determine whether there is a collective bargaining agreement under the Code.

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## § 301.7701(b)-0 Outline of regulation provision for section 7701(b)-1 through (b)-9.

This section lists the paragraphs contained in  $\S 301.7701(b)-1$  through 301.7701(b)-9.

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- (a) In general.
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  - (1) In general.
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- (i) In general.
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§ 301.7701(b)-4 Residency time periods.

- (a) First year of residency.
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  - (1) General rule.
  - (2) Exceptions.
- (c) Rules relating to residency starting date and residency termination date.
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  - (i) In general.
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- (v) Election procedure.
- (A) Filing requirements.
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- (C) Statement.
- (vi) Penalty for failure to comply with filing requirements.
- (A) General rule.
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- (d) Examples.
- (e) No lapse.
  - (1) Residency in prior year.
- (2) Residency in following year.
- (3) Special rule.
- (4) Example.

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- (a) General rule.
- (b) Tax imposed.

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(c) Example.

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- (a) In general.
- (b) Examples.

§ 301.7701(b)-7 Coordination with income tax treaties.

- (a) Consistency requirement.
  - (1) Application.
- (2) Computation of tax liability.
- (3) Other Internal Revenue Code purposes.
- (4) Special rules for S corporations. [Reserved]
- (b) Filing requirements.
- (c) Contents of statement.
  - (1) In general.
  - (i) Returns due after December 15, 1997.
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  - (2) Controlled foreign corporation shareholders.
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- (a) Who must file.
  - (1) Closer connection exception.
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  - (3) De minimis presence and residency starting and termination dates.
- (b) Contents of statement.
- (1) Closer connection exception.
- (i) Returns due after December 15, 1997.
- (ii) Earlier returns.
- (2) Exempt individuals and individuals with a medical condition.
- (i) Returns due after December 15, 1997.
- (ii) Earlier returns.
- (3) De minimis presence and residency starting and termination dates.
- (c) How to file.
- (d) Penalty for failure to file statement.
  - (1) General rule.
  - (2) Exception.
- (e) Filing requirement disregarded.

§ 301.7701(b)-9 Effective dates of §§ 301.7701(b)-1 through 301.7701(b)-7.

- (a) In general.
- (b) Special rules.
  - (1) Green card test-residency starting date.
  - $\begin{array}{cccc} \hbox{(2)} & \hbox{Substantial} & \hbox{presence} & \hbox{test-years} & \hbox{included}. \end{array}$
  - (3) Professional athletes.
  - (4) Procedural rules and filing requirements.

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## §301.7701(b)-1 Resident alien.

(a) Scope. Section 301.7701(b)-1(b) provides rules for determining whether an alien individual is a lawful permanent resident of the United States, Section 301.7701(b)-1(c) provides rules for determining if an alien individual satisfies the substantial presence test. Section 301.7701(b)-2 provides rules for determining when an alien individual will be considered to maintain a tax home in a foreign country and to have a closer connection to that foreign country. Section 301.7701(b)-3 provides rules for determining if an individual is an exempt individual because of his or her status as a foreign government-related individual, teacher, trainee, student, or professional athlete. Section 301.7701(b)-3 also provides rules for determining whether an individual may exclude days of presence in the United States because the individual was unable to leave the United States because of a medical condition. Section 301.7701(b)-4 provides rules for determining an individual's residency starting and termination dates. Section 301.7701(b)-5 provides rules for applying section 877 to a nonresident alien individual. Section 301.7701(b)-6 provides rules for determining the taxable year of an alien. Section 301.7701(b)-7 provides rules for determining the effect of these regulations on rules in tax conventions to which the United States is a party. Section 301.7701(b)-8 provides procedural rules for establishing that an individual is a nonresident alien. Section 301.7701(b)-9 provides the effective dates of section 7701(b) and the regulations under that section. Unless the context indicates otherwise, the regulations under §§ 301.7701(b)-1 through 301.7701(b)-9 apply for purposes of determining whether a United States citizen is also a resident of the United States. (This determination may be relevant, for example, to the application of section 861(a)(1) which treats income from interest-bearing obligations of residents as income from sources within the United States.) The regulations do not apply and §§ 1.871-2 and 1.871-5 of this chapter continue to apply for purposes of the bona fide residence test of section 911. See §1.911-2(c)